

Supporting Transitions in Patient Care Across the Provider Continuum: Reducing Readmissions in San Diego and Imperial Counties

Agenda

OBJECTIVES

- **Learn** practical strategies to reduce readmissions in your community.
- **Build** cross-setting partnerships between hospitals, nursing homes, home health, and other community partners.
- **Gain** knowledge to provide enhanced services for the behavioral health population following hospitalization.
- **Identify** solutions to reduce medication-related readmissions, including partnering with patients to improve medication adherence.

AGENDA

7:30–8:30 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30–8:45 a.m.	Welcome Rick Mendlen <i>Board of Directors, Shea Family</i> <i>Past Chair, California Association of Health Facilities</i> <i>Board of Directors, California Association of Long Term Care Medicine</i> <i>Board of Directors, California Culture Change Coalition</i>
8:45–9:00 a.m.	San Diego and Imperial Counties Medicare Fee-for-Service Readmissions Data Jennifer Wieckowski, MSG <i>Director, Care Transitions</i> <i>Health Services Advisory Group of California, Inc. (HSAG-California)</i>
9:00–9:30 a.m.	Actions Taken to Address the Key Drivers of Readmissions in San Diego and Imperial Counties Gwenmarie Hilleary, NHA, FACHE <i>Executive Director E Health, Provider Relations and Business Development</i> <i>Hospital Association of San Diego and Imperial Counties</i>
9:30–10:30 a.m.	Medication Management as it Relates to Reducing Readmissions..... Alpesh Amin, MD, MBA, MACP, SFHM <i>Executive Director, Hospitalist Program Chair, Department of Medicine</i> <i>School of Medicine, University of California, Irvine</i>
10:30–10:45 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m.–12:00 noon	Panel Discussion: San Diego Care Transitions Partnership (SDCTP)—A Model Across Hospital Systems to Improve Care Transitions for High-Risk Patients <div style="text-align: right;"> Nick Yphantides, MD, MPH <i>Chief Medical Officer</i> <i>County of San Diego Health and Human Services Agency</i> </div> <div style="text-align: right;"> Brenda Schmitthenner, MPA <i>Aging Program Administrator</i> <i>County of San Diego Health and Human Services Agency,</i> <i>Aging & Independence Services</i> </div> <p style="text-align: center;">(Continued on next page)</p>

	<p>Emily Awkerman, RN, BSN, FAACM System Director, Case Management, Sharp HealthCare</p> <p>Susan Erickson, RN, MHP Senior Director, Patient Navigation Scripps Health</p> <p>Eileen Haley, MSN, RN, CNS, CCM Manager, Care Coordination University of California, San Diego Health System</p> <p>Elissa Hamilton RN, NE-BC, MBA Director, Home Health Palomar Health</p>		
12:00 noon—12:45 p.m.	Lunch and Networking		
12:45—1:45 p.m.	<p>Behavioral Health Challenges and Associated Community Issues as they Relate to Reducing Readmissions.....David Folsom, MD Medical Director St. Vincent de Paul Village Family Health Center Associate Professor Psychiatry and Family and Preventive Medicine, University of California, San Diego</p>		
1:45—2:00 p.m.	Break		
2:00—2:45 p.m. (1st Breakout)	Attendees will attend the two breakout sessions of their preference.		
2:55—3:40pm (2nd Breakout)	<p>Breakout 1: Behavioral Health Challenges David Folsom, MD</p>	<p>Breakout 2: Medication Management Alpesh Amin, MD, MBA, MACP, SFHM</p>	<p>Breakout 3: Partnerships Across the Provider Continuum Nick Yphantides, MD, MPH</p>
3:40—3:55 p.m.	Break		
3:55—4:30 p.m.	<p>Pulling It All Together: Where Do We Focus Our Efforts Going Forward?..... Gwenmarie Hilleary</p>		
4:30 p.m.	Adjourn		

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